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SUBJECT: FOREIGN PRODUCT STANDARDS AND CERTIFICATION SYSTEMS

REF: STATE 182572

1. IN EMBASSY'S OPINION DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, TRADE AND COMMERCE (ITC) IS BEST FOR FULLEST INFORMATION AS REQUESTED IN PARA. 5 OF REFTEL. THIS JUDGEMENT CONFIRMED BY ITC'S GENERAL TRADE POLICY BRANCH WHICH ASKED THAT REQUEST SETTING FORTH QUESTIONS IN FULL BE FORMALIZED BY LETTER. THIS REQUEST WAS MET BY EMBASSY LETTER DATED AUGUST 5.

2. SUBSEQUENTLY, EMBASSY INFORMED BY TELEPHONE ON AUGUST 11 THAT COMPLETE INFORMATION IN WRITING WOULD BE PROVIDED BY ITC'S STANDARDS AND METRICATION DIVISION (OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY), BUT THAT DUE TO SUMMER VACATIONS IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO MEET AUGUST 15 DEADLINE. HOWEVER, ITC OFFICIAL INDICATED THAT RESPONSE WOULD BE AVAILABLE BEFORE THE END OF AUGUST. IN MEANTIME, THIS OFFICIALS SUGGESTED
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THAT INFORMATION MADE AVAILABLE IN GENEVA TO U.S. ON

CANADA'S STANDARDS COUNCIL IN THE COURSE OF CLOSE
COLLABORATION ON THE STANDARDS CODE SINCE 1973 SHOULD
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